

Ms. Cotton's

January Newsletter

December Important Events

Wednesday, 7th 4:00- 8:00 PM Spirit Night: Chick-Fil-A

Tuesday, 13th 6:30 PM PTO Meeting

Thursday, 15th Zoo Field Trip

Monday, 19th MLK Jr. Day- No School

Wednesday, 28th 12:30 PM Early Dismissal

Class Notes

Happy New Year! I hope everyone had a wonderful winter holiday. Thank you for all your help to make our winter party a great success.

A zoo field trip permission slip will be sent home today in the blue folder. Please sign and return ASAP. If you would like to chaperone please send me an email as I only have a couple openings.

If you are interested in providing snack for our class there are still dates available for the spring semester, the link to sign up for snack is on our class wiki page. A reminder will be sent home the Friday before you are to provide snack, please be mindful that there are 22 students in our class.

Thank you!

Monthly Objectives

English Language arts (ELA): Students will study the author Jan Brett including books about winter and animals. The students will also be introduced to common thymes, character traits and story elements in fairy tales as well as the rhythm, rhymes and word similarities in poetry. HFW: good, what, could, would look, from, find, them, then, lay, play, give, him, your. They will also be introduced to medial sounds e and o, and ending l, d, s, t and the blends ck and sh.

Math: The students will count and represent quantities and collections fluently to 20. Students will identify patterns in numbers while counting to 100. Students will use multiple models to develop number sense and represent numbers to 10. Students will also compare quantities and collections fluently to 20.

Science: Students will explore various types of earth materials in comparison to others that are similar.

Social Studies: Students will learn how to use simple maps and globes to determine locations. Students will also examine the significance of important individuals and events in history.

Show and Tell

Week 1 January 6-9	Free Choice
Week 2 January 12-16	Bring an item or map from another state or country as we learn about maps
Week 3 January 19-23	Create/or retell your favorite book involving winter
Week 4 January 26-30	Bring in a picture of how earth materials can be used in every day life.

Happy Birthday!

Annabel Hellmann January 6th
Claire Hadad January 8th